



INTERNATIONAL REGATTA

# XXXI MEMORIAL PAOLO D'ALOJA



7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> - 9<sup>th</sup> April 2017  
PIEDILUCO (TR) – ITALY



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## The Lake

Lake Piediluco is one of the main tourist features of the Terni area. It is immersed in the greenery of the Umbrian hills with a particularly enchanting background scenery complimented by Mount Terminillo whose snow covered peak create a spectacular effect. The village of Piediluco is huddled in a curve of the lake beneath a forest from which it takes its name ("Lucus" in Latin means "holy wood"). On the top of the hill you will find the remains of the Albornoz fortress, built in the 14<sup>th</sup> century. The church of Saint Francis in the centre of the village is also of historical interest.

Each year the "Festival of the Waters" takes place in Piediluco to celebrate the summer solstice with a regatta of traditional boats, fireworks and other events. Only a few kilometers from Piediluco you can find one of the most well known tourist attractions in Umbria: The *Marmore Waterfall*; a unique sight that over the years has provided the creative inspiration for writers, poets and painters. Terni is the main city of this area and it is famous because of its Patron Saint, Saint Valentine, the protector of lovers.

## The 2017 edition

The Memorial Paolo d'Aloja International Regatta will be a good test for Teams for the start of the international rowing season. Many National Federations have already expressed their interest to participate. That is why we expect a high level of competition. In consideration of the decision about the Olympic programme recently adopted by the Fisa Congress to achieve gender equality, the OC has decided to include the W4- in the programme.

## Piediluco Development Camp

As at the seven past regattas, this year a FISA Development Training camp will take place before the regatta begins. The Italian Rowing Federation will assist the FISA Development Programme with a Training Camp for 20 athletes selected by FISA from 2 to 10 April 2017.

## The Event History

Due to the unique environmental conditions: lack of wind and current, and a 2'200 metre rectangular stretch, the Italian Rowing Federation decided, at the end of 70's, to locate the National Rowing Centre in Piediluco where athletes can train all year round. The centre is an official venue for national and international competitions.

One of the most known competitions is the Memorial Paolo d'Aloja, International Regatta established in the memory of Paolo d'Aloja, former President of the Italian Rowing Federation in the 70's and 80's. The regatta, since its first years, has been characterised by a good technical-competitive level thanks to the presence of numerous Olympic and world champions.

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## Events

The Memorial Paolo d'Aloja International Regatta will stage the following events:

### Boat Classes

**Men's events** Senior: 1x, 2x, 4x, 2-, 4-, 8+  
PL/LW: 1x, 2x, 2-  
Junior: 1x, 2x, 2-

**Women's event** Senior: 1x, 2x, 4x, 2-, 4-  
PL/LW: 1x, 2x  
Junior: 1x, 2x, 2-

## General time schedule

### Provisional time schedule

All races will be on six lanes with heats (if necessary) and finals

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**Friday 7 April** Morning - Team Managers Meeting and Draw - Jury Meeting  
Afternoon - heats for Saturday's finals

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**Saturday 8 April** Morning - finals  
Afternoon - heats for Sunday's finals  
20.30 - Nations Dinner (2 persons per NF will be invited)

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**Sunday 9 April** Morning - finals

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## Lodging, meals and transport include:

- **Accommodation** Accommodation options for national teams are options for national teams are in hotels in the following locations:
  - Piediluco (at 1 km);\*
  - Marmore (at 6 km)\*
  - Terni (at 13 km).

Placement in hotels is on a first come, first served basis: those that register earlier get placed closer to Piediluco so please register as soon as possible. Please note that only hotels in Terni and Marmore are covered by free shuttle busses offered from the OC starting from 6 April.

*Please note that hotels in Piediluco will not be served by OC shuttle busses.*

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The Italian Rowing Federation and the OC will be happy to offer full board accommodation in shared rooms from lunch on 6 April March to breakfast on 9 April 2017 (3 days) for a maximum of five (5) athletes of each National Federation team. All additional expenses are at the charge of the individual. Accommodation for any additional team members (athletes and supporting staff) or extra days will be at the charge of the National Federation.

*Please note that the OC cannot cover costs for single rooms. If a team requires a single room among the five free places offered from the OC, the difference between the single room and the double room will be at the charge of the NF. Invitation is only for the teams that book through the Organizing Committee, so please don't contact directly the hotels if you intend to benefit of the hospitality reserved to NF teams.*

Options for invited Teams are the following:

Hotel/Category		Room Type		
		SGL/DUS	DBL	TRP/QUAD
PIEDILUCO	Hotel***	81	67	62
	Locanda dei Frati	80	65	60
MARMORE	Hotel Velino	75	65	60
TERNI	Hotel ****	80	65	60
	Hotel ***	69	59	55

***The above mentioned hotel rates are intended per person per day on a full board basis***

- **Bus transport** from/to Rome International Airport;
- **Shuttle bus** during training and competitions days available starting from 6 April upon reservation 24 hours in advance from/to Hotels located in Terni.

To receive an invitation letter please contact [memorial@canottaggio.org](mailto:memorial@canottaggio.org);

To book your accommodation and transport please contact [memorial@canottaggio.org](mailto:memorial@canottaggio.org);  
[alessandro.ciaccini@canottaggio.org](mailto:alessandro.ciaccini@canottaggio.org);

If you need a visa please follow the instruction available at <http://www.memorialdaloja.org/VISA.shtml>



## Boats Hire Service

The Memorial D'Aloja OC and the Italian Rowing Federation are pleased to announce that our official boat hire service partner is Filippi Boats.

You can make your boat rental requests starting immediately. The request should be sent in written form to [robertom@filippiboats.it](mailto:robertom@filippiboats.it).

The request must contain the following information:

Name; Email address

Subject: 2017 Memorial D'Aloja Boat Rental Request

Requested Boat(s) Type: \_\_\_\_\_ for the following events \_\_\_\_\_

Name of your NF/club

Please note that the last date for a rental request is 15 March 2017.

Teams are required to bring their own oars.

## Entries

Entries must be submitted on line at the following link [entry.canottaggio.net](http://entry.canottaggio.net) no later than 3 April 2017.

## Info

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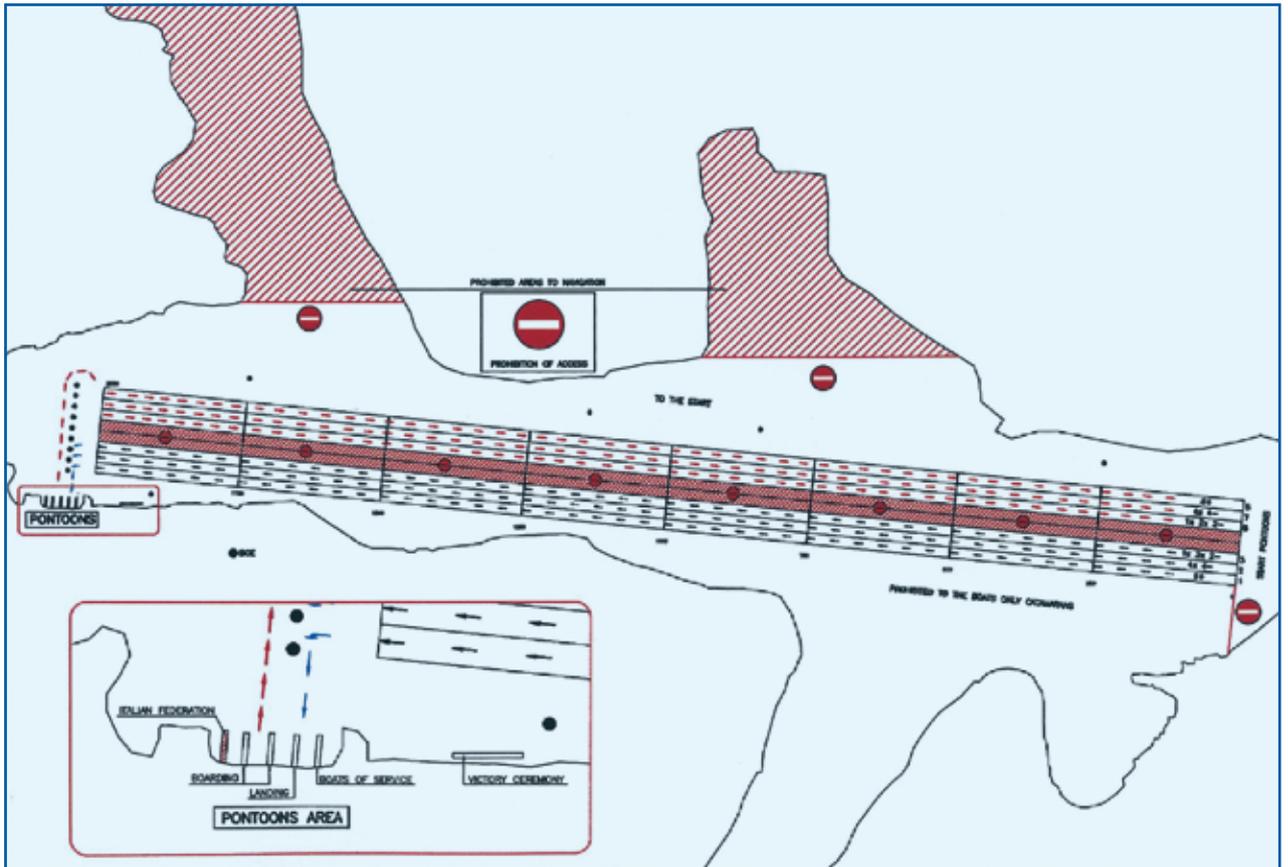
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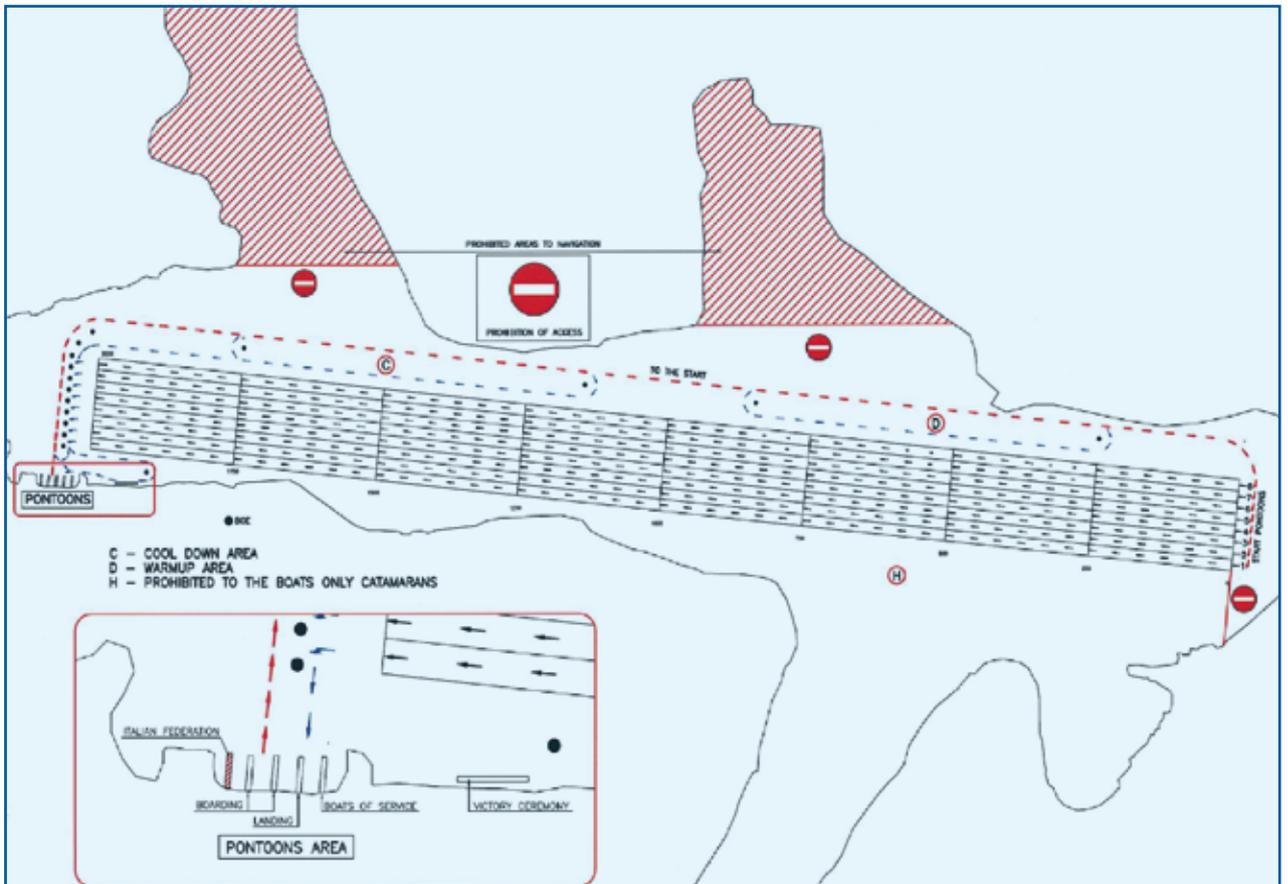


# Maps

## Traffic rules during training



## Traffic rules during races



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